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Richmonders Book Passage for
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 Ports.

Among those who "Asked Mr. Bowman" and secured steamer passage for various European and American ports during the past week were the following:

For European Ports:

S. S. Kaiserin Augusta—Victoria—Mrs. Ashton, Mrs. Henry M. Wortham, S. T. Morgan, Mrs. S. T. Morgan, S. T. Morgan, J. R. B. Saunders.

S. S. Teutonic—Dr. Douglas Vanderhoof, Richard M. Osterloh, F. B. Clark, C. H. Westbrook, Jr.

S. S. Caronia—Rev. E. V. Baldy, Mrs. E. V. Baldy, Master Baldy.

S. S. Main—Mrs. Geo. O. Ruel, Mrs. Thos. Weber.

S. S. Empress of Britain—A. L. Adamson, Mrs. A. L. Adamson.

S. S. Prince Joachim—Rev. H. P. Atkins, H. T. Atkins.

S. S. United States—Chas. Henson, S. S. President Lincoln—Louis Dille, Mrs. Louis Dille.

For coastwise points:

Steamship Trinidad—F. W. Baker, R. D. L. Fletcher, J. W. Crews, Miss Ethel Crews, Barrett, C. T. Walford, Mrs. T. C. Walford, Herbert McMinin, Miss Sarah Allen, Miss Laura Sutherland.

Steamship Florizel—R. W. Simpson, Jr.

Steamship Bermudian—Miss Hazel Meyer, Miss Beulah Meyer.

Steamship Northwest—E. D. Taylor, Mrs. E. D. Taylor.

Steamship Monroe—O. H. Funsten, Mrs. O. H. Funsten, and two children.

Steamship Hamilton—George Bryan, Mrs. George Bryan.

Steamship Nantucket—Dr. C. R. Robbins, Mrs. C. R. Robbins.

Steamship Nantucket—John Waddell, John M. Miller, James Wheat, M. Parker, Miss F. L. Brown, Miss A. Smith, R. A. Sheppard, D. H. Caron, Mrs. D. H. Caron.

Steamship Kershaw—Professor F. W. Boatwright, Mrs. F. W. Boatwright, Jansen Kain, A. L. Williams, I. L. Arrington, W. T. Daniels, Mrs. W. T. Daniels.

Steamship Junata—Mrs. Thos. Muldowney, Mrs. P. J. Ryan, Miss Ryan.

Steamship Essex—Mrs. A. C. Stafford.

Steamship Ontario—J. D. Crawley, Mrs. J. D. Crawley, Miss Marie Gerdy, Miss Kate Gerdy, Miss Eva Taylor.

To the Victims of Morphine

I am a physician of a large practice in Virginia until disabled through the use of morphine. I took 60 to 70 grains of morphine and 40 to 45 grains of cocaine daily, in addition to alcohol. My body was covered with the punctures of the hypodermic needle as well as my arms and lower limbs. At one time I spent ten days without food or a moment's sleep, and in desperation was debating suicide as preferable to either my deplorable state or insanity.

I was urged to come to Richmond. I came and was treated. On the fourth day of my treatment the awful "craving" was effectually destroyed; my pains began to subside; my suffering abated; my appetite returned; my complexion cleared up; I began to sleep, and for the first time in years I began to feel natural. The chains that bound me as a captive were snapped asunder, and I am free. I wish every physician thus afflicted and all others to know that they can be saved from their deplorable condition. If any poor sufferer from morphine wishes to be cured, and will write me, I will gladly furnish him or her all the information he or she needs.

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GRADE CROSSING TO BE ELIMINATED

Improvements Planned for Cary
 Street Road—Acca Bridge
 Open.

Cary Street Road beyond the city limits will be closed, probably for several months, while repairs are being made to the Belt Line Railroad. In the meanwhile, those who have been accustomed to using this popular highway will have to drive over Grove Road until the tracks of the Belt Line are crossed. However, the inconvenience is slight, as Grove Road is a splendid driveway, and is but a short distance from the Cary Street Road, and the two are connected by numerous cross roads. The road bed of the Belt Line will be lowered, and a viaduct will be erected at the Cary Street Road crossing. When complete, it will be a great improvement, and will do away with possible chances of accident at the crossing.

Within the city limits a large main sewer is shortly to be laid in Cary Street west of the Boulevard, after which the city will grade and improve its portion of the thoroughfare, which is the popular route to the Country Club of Virginia and the newly developed Westhampton tract around the new site of Richmond College.

Another important change in the driving and automobile routes around Richmond is the opening of the Acca Bridge, a viaduct erected by the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac Railroad Company across its extensive new yards at Acca Station, near the home of the Deep Run Hunt Club. The opening of the new yards with many shifting tracks constantly passing, made that old grade crossing dangerous, if not entirely impracticable, but the new bridge connects the whole Acca and Hermitage Road section with that lying north of Broad Street Road, affording an attractive circular drive about the city.

Since the opening of the Acca Bridge the old Boulevard Bridge over the railroad tracks near the State Fair Grounds has been closed for repairs, but will shortly be again in use.

Chamberlayne Avenue, the most popular thoroughfare leading to and through Ginter Park, is also closed to vehicles at present for a great part of its length, as the county authorities are treating it with a coat of oil in an effort to keep down the dust stirred by the constantly whirling motor cars.

JOHNSON H. SANDS QUOTES HOLY WRIT

But His Reply to Building Inspector Beck's Summons Is Vague.

Johnson H. Sands, lawyer, Sunday school teacher and formerly an operator in real estate in Richmond, where he once lived, has replied to Building Inspector Beck, who some weeks ago condemned three buildings owned by Mr. Sands—107 and 409 Market Space and 206 East Franklin Street. Mr. Sands takes excerpts from the Holy Writ to reply to the profane and worldly inspector, but they do not seem exactly to hear on the subject of tottering houses. Biblical quotations will hardly prove of much avail in the Police Court. Justice Crutchfield would prefer having Mr. Sands in person to answer direct questions.

So the law will be followed, as, in spite of the things spiritual, worldly business must be attended to. After due process of law the property owned by Mr. Sands, who now resides in Washington, and which has been condemned by Building Inspector Beck, will be razed, as a menace to the life and limb of the passerby.

PRICE GOES UP ON GIN RICKEYS

New Tariff on Foreign Wines
 Takes Effect August
 Seventh.

Customs collections for the port of Richmond for a month of July were \$20,978.49, showing an increase of about \$2,000 over the same month last year. In July of 1909 the collections were \$18,942.52.

Lovers of "gin rickeys" may have to pay more for their drinks after August 7, as the import duty on Holland gin will have been increased from \$1.75 to \$2.00 per gallon. Customs officials yesterday announced that the new tariff becomes effective from that date. On Spanish and Portuguese wines, the duty has been increased from 35 cents to 60 cents per gallon. Large quantities of foreign wines have been received here by local dealers during the past few weeks in order to avoid the higher import duty.

SCHOOL OFFICIAL DEFENDS BOARD

Resents Use of Text Book Selection as Campaign Material
 Against Stuart.

CHARGES NOT BORNE OUT

Country High School Pupils
 Outnumber City Pupils
 Two to One.

In view of the fact that a recent statement regarding the high school book adoption, published in a Richmond afternoon paper, is being used in the Ninth District campaign as an argument against the election of Henry C. Stuart, it has been deemed advisable by one who knows the circumstances that a denial be made. The article in question, he says, was almost entirely incorrect and has since been retracted in part.

A Republican paper in the Ninth District after quoting a statement made by Mr. Stuart while a member of the Constitutional Convention to the effect that the school system of the State had been taken out of politics, quotes the recent article to prove the contrary. The Richmond publication intimates very strongly that Gunnison & Harley's "Caesar" had been adopted for high schools for political reasons. "It is being whispered," said the afternoon paper, "that they (the publishers of the Gunnison & Harley book) are represented in Virginia by men who stand high in the political world, and to use a popular expression, they have been given the cream of the business." The Latin books are not much used in the country schools, but in the cities there are very many of the books in use, due to the fact that the course of study is higher.

"Given the Budge."

The action of the board last night makes a change for the city high schools, as very few of the books which are to be used for the coming four years have been used in the city schools, and the making of a city country list means that the Silver, Burdett & Co. (the Gunnison & Harley) book has been given the budge of the business.

It was not the intention of the State Board, says the school official, "to take any notice of the many inaccuracies in this statement, although to those who had watched the situation regarding the book adoption it was known that nothing of the kind occurred. However, it will be seen that the misstatements are being used to injure Mr. Stuart."

"As a matter of fact, the 'cream' and the 'budge' of the business was given to the Walker book, and not to the Gunnison & Harley book. It is true that the Latin books are not much used in the country schools. Practically every high school student in the State uses 'Caesar,' and as the country high school scholars outnumber those in the cities two to one, it is evident that twice as many of the Walker books are used as are those of Gunnison & Harley. An examination of the last report of the Department of Public Instruction demonstrates this. Further, the action of the board at its last meeting did not make a change for the city high schools. On the contrary, it left the 'Caesar' for the city high schools just where it was after the June meeting. Besides, it took away from the Gunnison & Harley book the 'cream of the business'—the country high school trade. While the Walker book was in the tentative adoption, the agent for its publisher was not present at the June meeting, and so missed his contract. So that he and his firm might not feel aggrieved, as much as they had thought the April adoption final, the contract was divided, the publishers of the Walker 'Caesar' getting 'the budge of the business.'"

"As a matter of course, the board cannot help who represents book publishers. At all events, it must have resisted instead of catered to the men who stand high in the political world."

Afraid of Ghosts

Many people are afraid of ghosts. Few people are afraid of germs. Yet the ghost is a fancy and the germ is a fact. If the ghost is a fancy, a size equal to a terror it would appear more terrible than any fire-breathing dragon. Germs can't be avoided. They are in the air we breathe, the water we drink.

The germ can only prosper when the condition of the system gives it free scope to establish itself and develop. When there is a deficiency of vital force, languor, restlessness, a sallow complexion, a hollow eye, when the appetite is poor and the sleep is broken, it is time to guard against the germ. You can fortify the body against all germs by the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It increases the vital power, cleanses the system of clogging impurities, enriches the blood, puts the stomach and organs of digestion and nutrition in working condition, so that the germ finds no weak or tainted spot in which to breed. "Golden Medical Discovery" contains no alcohol, whisky or habit-forming drugs. All its ingredients printed on its outside wrapper. It is not a secret nostrum but a medicine of known composition and with a record of 40 years of use. Acute no substitute—there is nothing "just as good." Ask your neighbors.

BEARS TWO VARIETIES

Unique Peach Tree Grown From Wild Twig by Mosby Street Man.

C. F. Frizzell, of 604 1/2 Mosby Street, has in his yard a unique specimen of peach tree which has borne this year freestone peaches on one side and clingstone on the other, although there is no evidence that these have ever been any grafting. His son, Richard Frizzell, found the tree, then a mere switch, growing wild on a roadside near town, some years ago, and brought it home and replanted it. This is the first time it has borne fruit, and to the surprise of all the neighbors, it has two distinct varieties, ripening at the same time. The tree is regarded as quite a curiosity, and many people have called to see it and sample its fruit.

OPENING POSTPONED

Business Men's Club to Occupy New Quarters August 22.

Owing to an unavoidable delay in the completion of the plaster work, the Business Men's Club will not occupy the new quarters on the top floor of the American National Bank Building (the old Merchants' Bank) as had been expected. The opening has been postponed until August 22.

The new home of the business men will be on the top floor of the American National Bank Building. The floor space will be three times greater than the club now enjoys, which will make possible a number of additional features. There will be a large lounge room, which will be fitted up most elegantly. The dining room will seat more than a hundred people, and will be located below the kitchen, so that there will be no odors or heat. An express elevator will be installed to run from the ground floor to the club room without stops.

BURGLARIES TRACED

Four Boys Confess to Major Werner, Chief of Police, That They Had Been Trained by a Professional Burglar.

At last the source of the numerous petty burglaries which have alarmed everybody but the police has been traced. Four boys—four of them—whose ages range from nine to thirteen, have been brought before Major Werner by Detective Sergeant Bailey, they confessed.

They are too young to be placed in court, and, instead, after thorough reviewing the case and interviewing the young suspects, Major Werner placed them in the charge of Police Officer Poltiaux. The boys are said to be of good parentage, but, evidently, they have been perusing too many of the "penny papers" and "penny papers" Mr. Poltiaux will watch over them, take daily reports, and make of them the "children" of the name, and thus save them from a penitentiary, or, perhaps, the electric chair.

MEET IN STAUNTON

Dentists of State to Hold Annual Convention This Week.

The forty-third annual convention of the Virginia State Dental Association will be held in Staunton, August 3-5, inclusive. Dr. J. E. Applewhite, president of the association, will preside. It is expected that the convention this year will be largely attended, as a number of important questions are scheduled for discussion. The president will deliver the annual address, and this feature is being looked forward to with interest. Another interesting feature of the convention will be the reading of a paper by Dr. Carter Perkins, of Newport News, on the theme of "Dentistry of Fifty-Seven Years Ago." Dr. Perkins has the honored distinction of being the oldest member of the association.

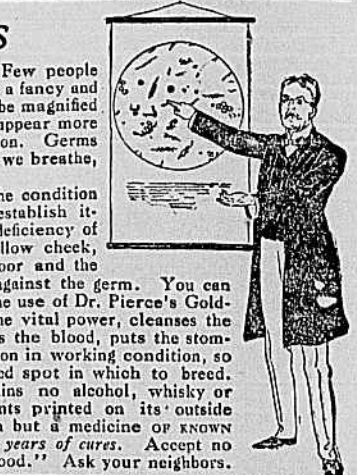
MAYOR ON VACATION

President Robert Whitte, of Board of Aldermen, Is Sitting on Leaves.

Mayor D. C. Richardson said today for Mr. Whitte, who is attending the Supreme Council, Knights of Pythias. He will spend a week in that city and another week visiting points of interest in the State, before returning home. He will be accompanied by Mrs. Richardson. During the absence of Mayor, Robert Whitte, president of the Board of Aldermen, will assume his duties.

Form Social Club.

Employees of the American Locomotive Co. have held a meeting last night in the Eagles' Hall, at Fourth and Broad Streets, for the purpose of discussing plans to organize a society among themselves. The attendance was large, several hundred employees being present. A justification followed the meeting.



PASS MEASURES TO NEW COUNCIL

Many Matters of Importance to Die in Committee.

NO NEW CAR FRANCHISE

Incoming Body to Wrestle With Changes in Form of City Government.

Despite the efforts which will be made to-morrow night by the Common Council to clear its docket, it is evident that many pending measures of importance which have been before the two branches of the City Council and the various committees, are destined to die on the table or in a pigeon-hole of some committee clerk. The meritorious ones will have to be reintroduced and referred to the proper committee when the new Council is organized in September, and again begin the weary round of committees through which any measure must pass before receiving final approval.

The Common Council meets to-morrow night at 8 o'clock, and the Board of Aldermen on August 8. There are many matters which will not be thrashed out in the various committees in time to be taken up in the Council. Unless special meetings are called, these will be the last sessions of the law-makers until the new Council meets to organize.

Probably the most important ordinance that will be passed on to the new Council is the one regarding a new franchise for the Virginia Railway and Power Company. The street railway system is now operating under a number of franchises, granted to as many separate lines, which have been consolidated under one company. The power company has asked for a new general franchise which will cover the operation of all lines in the city. It proposes a rearrangement of the lines and the elimination of duplicate or parallel lines, and also proposes the construction of several new lines to relieve congested sections. This ordinance is now in the hands of a subcommittee from the Street Committee, with no chance of any action being taken during the life of the present Council.

Executive Commission.

The ordinance contemplating a change of the present system of city government will likewise be passed by the Council. This measure has been recommended by a special committee, and by the Ordinance, Charter and Reform Committee, but the Finance Committee has about agreed to disagree for the present, allowing the new Council to wrestle with this matter.

The ordinance proposes the appointment of an executive board to perform duties now in the hands of standing committees of the Council. While there is much opposition to the pending ordinance on the ground that such a board would usurp many rights and prerogatives of Councilmen, it is probable that the new city government freely admit that the incoming Council must seriously face the problem of simplifying the methods of operating the city departments so there will be less friction and less waste.

Equalization of Salaries.

The special committee appointed to equalize the salaries of city employees has not been able to get a quorum as yet. It is quite likely that no further effort will be made to hold a meeting, but simply let the matter rest for the present, and there is some doubt as to whether it will be reintroduced.

No City Ward Sewer This Year.

It seems evident now that this Council will fail to settle the perplexing problem of the Dooley ravine drain, and from indications the whole matter of building the drain that is to give relief to the greater part of Clay Ward will go over to next spring, unless the new Council shows more ability to get together on the matter than the present body has.

The Engineer's department cannot be blamed. It has been ready with its maps and blue prints and estimates for six months. And the money to build the sewer, raised by a bond issue, has been in bank since last year. Presumably Mayor Dooley is ready to put up the \$200,000 that is to be paid to the city. But the two branches of the Council have not been able to agree as to the advisability of taking the money. Having reached a practical deadlock, the whole matter has been referred back to the Street Committee, where it probably will remain until the new Council is organized.

Many Abolish Local Assessments.

The measure which has for its object abolishing the plan of local assessments for paving sidewalks at the expense of the abutting property owners will also die with this Council and will probably be reintroduced at once. It has been referred jointly to the Committees on Finance and Streets, and no joint meeting has as yet been held.

There are other ordinances of all kinds in the committees, including many salary increases, but they will be reintroduced in the incoming Council. All matters which are not acted upon by August 31 will have to be taken up as new business by the incoming body.

City Clerk Ben T. August said yesterday that the present Council has enacted many new laws and that probably no Council has ever handled as much business. It is the opinion of Mr. August that perhaps no Council has been more efficient or faithful in its efforts to keep up with the city work.

Buy Grace Street Home.

A deed was recorded in the Chancery Court yesterday transferring from Stuart Cooke, substituted trustee, to Dr. John F. Winn, a lot on Grace Street fronting thirty feet two inches, with house thereon, known as 5 West Grace, near Poushee Street, the price being \$13,500. Dr. Winn will rent the house throughout and occupy it as his residence in October. It was formerly known as the Mallory home.

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News of South Richmond

South Richmond Bureau,
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An assortment of professional cripples, sad story men and just bums, were arraigned before Justice H. A. Maurice in Police Court, Part 2, yesterday morning. At the complaint of several citizens they had been locked up by the police the night before charged with being suspicious characters. Turning a deaf ear to the stories they told, and ignoring their appeal to be given fifteen minutes in which to get out of town, Justice Maurice sentenced four of the crowd to jail for thirty days each. The names of the unfortunate follow: Walter Smith, Walter Young, Harry C. Carter and Henry Coleman.

Charged with being drunk and disorderly, Edward List, a white man about forty years of age, who claims to be from Texas, was also before Justice Maurice yesterday. List resisted arrest at the hands of Sergeant Mike Moore on Friday evening, and stirred up considerable excitement. He, too, was given thirty days.

Arraigned on the same charge, three young white men—T. W. West, William M. Gallagher, and Robert Anderson—were each fined \$1, which they paid.

Protesting Against Noises.

Upon complaint of citizens, who alleged that their slumbers had been disturbed, C. E. Clay, a contractor, appeared before Justice Maurice, charged with allowing his drivers to drive noisily through the streets in the early hours of the morning. The contractor was dismissed with a warning from the court to instruct his drivers not to repeat these offenses in the future.

Dogs Have Had Their Day.

Every dog has his day, and the days of many of the dogs of the Southside are nearing an end. Deputy Treasurer Brough, yesterday morning, stated that owners of dogs have but a few more days in which to procure the requisite license. The day for the expiration of the time for procuring these licenses was changed from August 1st to the 10th, and as to allow ten days of grace to delinquents. But after August 10 the dog-catchers will get busy, and woe to the unfortunate canine that is without a license tag.

Personal Mention.

Miss Edith Holt has returned from the University of Virginia, where she attended the Summer Normal School. After attending the funeral of his son, G. W. Gooding has returned to Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. David Walker are spending some time at Ocean View.

Miss Lizzie Sula Field, of Greensboro, N. C., is visiting her brother, W. P. Field, of Woodland Heights.

Mr. and Mrs. William J. Carter and son have returned from a visit to Ocean View.

After an extended sojourn at Newport News, Norfolk, Ocean View and other resorts, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Howle, Mr. and Mrs. Knight and little daughter have returned to their homes here.

News reached here yesterday of the illness of her home in Swansboro of Mrs. Henry W. Members of the family have been called to her bedside.

Deeds of Bargain and Sale.

Deeds of bargain and sale were recorded in the clerk's office of the Corporation Court, Part 2, yesterday as follows:

The Mayo Land and Bridge Company to A. G. Frostick, property on the north side of Hull Street, east of Fourth (or Some) Street. This property fronts 43 feet 4 inches on Hull Street, and runs back 145 feet. The consideration was \$2,166.67.

Building Loan and Trust Company of Manchester to Oscar Hooker and E. L. Mahaley, property at the corner of Third and Everett Streets, and running back 140 feet. Consideration, \$1,100.

C. S. Reams and wife to Oscar Hooker and R. L. Mahaley, property at Third and Everett Streets, fronting 20 feet on Everett Street and running back 140 feet. Consideration, \$400.

BABY GIRL DESERTED

Found by Officer Belton Near St. Joseph's Orphan Asylum.

"Pete" Belton, of the Second Police District, found a five-weeks-old baby girl last night, and, tenderly picking up the wee mite of humanity in his arms, carried her to the City Hall, where, until she grows older, will be the only home she will know. The little girl, whom Belton named Agnes, was first found in front of St. Joseph's Orphan Asylum, at 313 East Marshall Street, and was then carried across to a neighboring house, where the officer was summoned. The baby, which was in a basket. Though well clothed, there were no extra clothes, probably because the mother had no more to give the child. She was deserting. The officer picked Agnes up in his arms, and the baby, who was a child of his own, and his heart went out to the little foundling.

Arrests Last Night.

Ben Roberts, colored, was arrested last night on a charge of stealing a watch from Joe Robertson.

R. B. Fuller, white, was arrested on a charge of being disorderly on a street car.

George Boyd and Joseph Aytes, colored boys, were arrested on charges of stealing a quantity of stove iron and grates from T. J. Dodd, lead pipe from N. W. Bowe and lead pipe from Golsan & Nash.

Charles Brasselman, white, was arrested on a charge of cruelty treating a horse.

Patterson, white, was arrested on suspicion of having committed a felony.

A Mayo, white, was arrested on a charge of assaulting W. A. Butterworth.

Went Through Their Clothes.

While William Knowles, of 2906 Grove Avenue; H. Dickinson, of 2110 Grove Avenue; A. T. Carter, of 2600 Grove Avenue, and C. C. Courtney, of Grove Avenue, were bathing in the upper reaches of the James River yesterday afternoon some one came along and rifled their clothes. The pickpockets got a gold case watch, a gold ring, a knife and some money. But he left the clothes, and the boys were able to walk home.

Council Committee Schedule.

The following Council committees have been called to meet this week to make effort to clear the docket of a large number of pending matters:

Monday—Water Committee, 5:30 P. M.

Tuesday—Light Committee; Street Cleaning Committee; James River Improvement Committee; Cemetery Committee. All except the Cemetery Committee meet at 8 o'clock; the latter will meet at 8 o'clock.

Thursday—Grounds and Buildings Committee, 9 P. M.

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